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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
)
MAUI ELECTRIC COMPANY, LTD.)
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For Approval of Rate Increases and Revised)
Rate Schedules and Rules)

DOCKET NO. 2006-0387

DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY'S STATEMENT OF POSITION
REGARDING COMPLETENESS OF APPLICATION

Pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS") § 269(16)d, the Division of Consumer Advocacy ("Consumer Advocate") advises the Commission that it has completed its review of the above Application. Based upon that review, the Consumer Advocate hereby states that Maui Electric Company, Ltd. ("Applicant") appears to have strictly complied with the requirements of Subchapter 8 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure in Chapter 61, since the Application contains the items listed in the rules. Putting aside the appropriateness of the substance of the items provided, to the extent that strict compliance of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure in

Chapter 61, Subchapter 8 is the standard, the Consumer Advocate does not object to the completeness of the Application.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, March 16, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

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DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing **DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY'S STATEMENT OF POSITION REGARDING COMPLETENESS OF APPLICATION** was duly served upon the following parties, by personal service, hand delivery, and/or U.S. mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed pursuant to HAR § 6-61-21(d).

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